HENS NEED CARE IN COLD MONTHS

Precautions Which Guard Health of Fowls and Increase Productivity Urged.

VENTILATION IS ESSENTIAL

Chickens Can Stand Much Cold Air Provided It Is Dry-Scratch Grains Compel Hens to Take Necessary Exercise.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) If good results are to be obtained condition at the beginning of the winter, must be kept clean and well ven- appearance and cost. tilated, and the proper kind of feed Durability. — Much dissatisfaction

Guard Against Drafts Drafts should be avoided in the her

house, poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture say. If hens are placed in a draft in winter, colds will develor which may result in roup or other ailments. The south side, or front, o the poultry house may be left comparatively open, but should be under control so the openings may be closed gradually as cold weather approaches. Have muslin curtains at the front openings of the house. One window should be left partly open in each pen, even on the coldest nights, to permit ventilation. Fowls can stand considerable cold air provided it is dry. Feed the grain in a deep litter on the floor in the winter to compel the hens to exercise for all of their grain. The mash may be fed either wet or dry and should be so regulated that the fowls will get about equal parts of mash and scratch grains. It is necessary to give the fowls plenty to eat to obtain good results, but the birds three-fourths at night. A good scratch mixture may be



The Hen Is One Pet That Brings i

THE BUTE SHEET WAS

Dollars and Cents. made of three parts by weight of the transportation charges and cost of cracked corn, one part wheat and two the transportation charges and cost of those for morning and sports wear; sort of silk was seen only in the surto replace the insects which the fowls ing all of the factors involved. have been getting on the range. Beef | Cheap splint baskets are satisfac-

once a week and spray the roosts with a low cost from clean, discarded pabeing featured extensively. It is a sort merly. The twills are firmly woven unto the first; that would not be true. 22½@23½. kerosene or some commercial preparaper-board boxes in which merchandise of crepey ground, with patterns in and correctly dyed, and the serges, A man may love himself, but not sution to kill mites. Have a good supply of sand or dry dirt to use on the dropping boards during the winter. If any of the birds develop colds, dissolve as much potassium permanganate as will remain on the surface of a dime into a gallon of water and keep this mixture in their drinking water for several days, or until the symptoms of the colds have disappeared. Remove any sick birds from the flock as soon as they are observed. and treat them in coops by themselves.

lice, and dust them with insect powhowever, which has been investigated selvage, so that they can be used for time" as well as fabrics that have without the recognition of the Father local to stand the lavages of the power, which has been investigated selvage, so that they can be used for time" as well as fabrics that have der or apply a mixture of two parts by entomologists of the United States the trimmings of the hems of skirts hitherto been classed as sturdler. of vaseline and one part of mercurial Department of Agriculture is not as well as incorporated into the bod- Homespun in wool is losing none of a pea, 1 inch below the vent of the rant artificial control measures. bird, rubbing the mixture lightly on This caterpillar rolls a leaf shelter, the skin. An application of this oint- the interior of which is rather difficult "thistledu." It comes in all the pastel suits made from it hold their shape ment two or three times a year will to reach with insecticides. Ordinarily, shades, yellows and blues and pinks, marvelously—that is when the weave keep the fowls free from lice. Sodium the rolled leaves can be clipped and that are just the things for street suits is authentic homespun. So much can feet the hyperboad of man and is at fluoride is one of the best powders to burned, as they are easily detected. and for daytime dresses. This fabric, not be said for some of the cheaper use to kill lice and only needs to be Arsenate of lead, two or three pounds while it is all silk, has very much the imitation varieties, and one should be the same time rejecting Jesus Christ. applied three or four times a year, to 50 gallons of water, is recommendor oftener, if the fowls become infested. Hens like a small box in the house partly filled with dry road dust or fine dirt in which they may dust.

HIGH VALUE OF RED CLOVER

On Many Farms Crop Has a Place Because of Its Adaptability to Short Rotations.

red clover is now growing alfalfa; but on many farms red clover has a place and is more valuable to the control of the control on many farms red clover has a place and is more valuable than alfalfa because of its adaptability to show that continuation of the bloused maid." It is so loosely were that coat are the style features of this country of its adaptability to show that there are veritable holes between the good looking cloth coat. cause of its adaptability to short rota- leaving the straight, thrifty and better

FEED WORK HORSE PROPERLY About One Pound of Grain and Hay cracked or warped silo, a silo out of Decoration Affords Trimming for Vari-, a full casaque blouse of shrimp velfor Each 100 Pounds Live Weight Is Required.

When horses are at heavy work each 100 pounds live weight will be honest-to-goodness milk you will find triely of black cloth and trimmed with at the waistline and hang between commandment to honor an earthly parabout one pound of grain and hay for needed. Upon days when horses which right methods more important than have been at hard work are idle the the equipment, even without discount-

Construction Within Another Structure Is Not Recommended-Use Durable Materials.

It is doubtful economy to build a silo within another structure, for it amounts to paying for the space twice. It would be more economical in the long run to use durable materials, paint, or treat with a good preservation, or treat with a good preservation. It is doubtful economy to build a pounds of butter in the year ending full sleeves which show undersleeves tive blending is of gray shantung in has just as much business at the meet-

SHIPPING CONTAINER IS QUITE IMPORTANT

Factors to Be Considered in Selecting Receptacles.

Basket, Crate or Carton Should Be Suited Especially to Produce to Be Marketed-Desires of Customers Must Be Met.

(Prepared by the United States Departdirect to consumer is a proper and satisfactory shipping container, say create new dresses out of the rich | Crepes, we hear from all sides, will marketing specialists of the United choice of material, and they will have be the fashionable silk materials for ering such factors as durability, size,

by using containers which were not



Satisfactory Basket for Potatoes.

should be eager for each feed. In cold sufficiently strong. This is especially weather feed about one-fourth of the true when containers are used more scratch grains in the morning and than once. Shipping containers should be light in weight but sufficiently durable to carry the produce.

Size.-The size of a container depends upon the desires of the customrs. Most persons wish to obtain small antities of each product at a time. ontainers should be just large enough or the produce shipped. If the carton s too large or too small, both the produce and the container are likely o be damaged, for the produce will not be kept in place and the container will be crushed. The larger the quantity of produce shipped in one parcel the lower will be the cost per pound for transportation and the lower the container cost per pound.

Appearance.-A container should present an attractive appearance, both New Designs on arrival and when opened, and in Printed Cotshould show the produce to advantage. Of course, new containers are more | Silk Fabric attractive than those which have een used; and only those secondhand containers which are clean should be used again.

Cost .-- The cost of containers puts distinct limitation on small shipment of farm produce. A shipment must made of three parts by weight of have considerable value in order that parts oats; and a mash may be made container may not equal a large perparts oats; and a mash may be made of two parts cornmeal and one part centage of the price. The price which so many heavier weaves of silk, this smooth in finish. The crepe prints are each of wheat bran, wheat middlings can be reasonably paid for a container and beef scrap. Green feed, such as will depend on the value of the concabbages, mangel wurzel beets, cut alfalfa or sprouted oats, should be provided to replace the green feed which compared with the price that could fields; and beef scrap, skim milk, cut that should be paid cannot be stated,

attractive and satisfactory containers

INSECT DOES SMALL DAMAGE

Leaf-Roller Has Attracted Attention on Account of Its Attack on Many Vegetables.

A minute, green caterpillar, called

the red-banded leaf-roller, has attracted attention through its attack on skirts of this character. vegetable crops, particularly beans, sweet potatoes, asparagus and corn, as well as strawberries and other teresting, and these borders have the they go by many distinguishing names does not love God. To attempt to good, 26@27; do, fancy flats, current plants. The extent of the damage, same happy way of running along one —are out to stand the "ravages of establish a brotherhood among men make, 25@25½; do, common to good large, seldom being sufficient to war- ices of the summer frocks.

roller becomes abundant. Plan to Have It Permanently Produc-

tive by Protecting It From Fire and Overgrazing. Make your woodland permanently profitable by protecting it from fire

kinds to grow for a future crop. ficient foundation may result in a

plumb, or even the overturning of the Right Methods Count. When it comes to producing real

grain ration should be cut one-half. | ing the value of first-class equipment.

Figures Show Loss of 4,696,326 Pounds in Year Ending July 1-Product Is High Priced.

10wa creameries made 90,915,938 inch band of fur. With this is worn pretty to wear.

VARIED DESIGNS SUNDAYSCHOOL NEW FABRICS IN

That it is the fabric which inspires crossing threads. But it makes a mathe finished gown is a saying which terial that can be beautifully draped receives fresh emphasis by a glimpse and generally well handled. The colat the new materials for spring. As ors in it are all that could be desired, yet but few of them have appeared in and then for a change some of it is shop windows; they are yet on stock printed. Now when printing is applied shelves, waiting to make their bow to this very loosely woven fabric a to the public. One look at the soft- great deal of the pattern, as may be ness and at the varied designs of the supposed, disappears into the great new folds of fabric, and to the imagi- unknown, which only adds to the gen-One important requirement for mar- nation a whole panorama of spring eral novelty of the effect and greatly keting farm produce from producer gowns and summer frocks appears. | increases the charm of the material as Already the designers have begun to a whole.

cinating of all the new fabrics, for it popular for spring wear in silk as well is in the spring and summer that these as in other fabrics. materials have their own best expression. During these seasons any kind | Some of the crepes show printed de- answered "no" would have at once tras, 22@23. of a gown can be made of silk, not signs in the most fascinating figures

States Department of Agriculture. A none of trimming and decoration. They the coming season, and so we are pre- love thy neighbor as thyself.—Matt. 22: container should be suited especially confine themselves to the charm of the sented with all sorts and varieties of from the flock in winter the houses, to the produce to be shipped and fabric and the dresses they have made silks in this particular weave. Crepe which should have been put in good should be selected only after consid- so far are indeed worthy of the in- satin is one of the most popular, and spiration that was their beginning. It is most often made up wrong side For a long time, while the war was out or with the crepey side exposed on, we were forced to accept a more to view. Of course this vogue makes with direct marketing has been caused or less limited stock of materials, but the crepey side the right side, though now from everywhere the materials heretofore it has been considered just are pouring in-those from foreign the opposite. It makes no difference parts being only an addition to those -shiny or dull-the fabric is one to which we in this country have suc- be marveled over and wondered at, and ours. Those of our own make are with one of the woolen materials or ment, so they came to Him with the \$16@17. as beautiful as theirs, though the ones to make it up into a frock by itself. subtle question, "Is it lawful to give that come from Europe are extremely And gray in crepe is still the good finely woven and not to be equaled by color. There can be none more becomour more plentiful variety as far as ing, and many will welcome this re- yoke of the Roman government. Some 55; do, firsts, 52@53; do, 1-pound, exexquisiteness of workmanship is con- iteration of the gray note. It was even denied the right to pay tribute tras, 54@55; do, firsts, 52@53; nearby good toward the end of last summer.

Fascinating Printed Designs.



only those for dress-up occasions but and patterns. This is a new idea those for street wear as well, and to print upon crepe, as usually this comes into the realm of suit materials beautiful in themselves and doubtless by common accord.

most numerous, which indicates that now as they always have been and some of the knitted fabrics have been colors and weight-still serge and all love and obey him. plaids and stripes made from threads both imported and domestic, are much premely. One's love for his neighbor fowls, 32@34. of artificial silk, which give the fabric to be admired. an interesting variety. One particular | The soft, light weight duvetyns are | The measure set is love for self. We feature of this silk, and it is the case used largely for the more formal of should love God better than ourselves. with many others of the newer weaves, the spring suits and dresses. This is He is worthy of all our affections and No. 2 red winter, \$1.78@1.83; do, gar

Fabric Called "Thistledu."

is that the stripes run from selvage a material which always carries with demands all. Love is not mere emolicky, \$1.69@1.74. to selvage, the material being forty it the mark of distinction. And as tion, but a supreme desire for the welinches wide. By reason of this little the weaving of the silken fabric be- fare of another and a willingness to do, No. 4, 76@77. trick the material lends itself most comes perfected it subjects itself to do everything possible to secure that sorts that have been so popular for was a time when duvetyn was passed bor is involved in the command to love The Pussywillow fabrics have been ing qualities, but that condition is fast if we do not love our neighbor. No

the favor which has been shown to it Jesus Chrust. It is true that in the during the present season. It has sense of being God's creatures all men 33@38c; white leghorns, 33@35; broil There is a lovely silk fabric called proved its right to distinction. The ed as a foliage spray when the leaf- lighter in weight, of course, but it has the purchaser expects to have it wear

that same loose basket weave which as homespun is reputed to wear. gives a certain body to the material Cottons for Summer Frocks. MAKE WOODLAND PROFITABLE and enough weight to make it drape Among the cottons there is much of and hang interestingly. There have inspiration for the little summer been some suits made up in this ma- frock, and this is the time of year terial-just plain tailored suits with when many people like to see that this little straight box coats. They are particular section of the year's wardsome of the best looking of the ad- robe is off their minds. vance models that have appeared any-

best citizens. An All-Cloth Coat. Another fabric allied to the one just | A ruff collar and sleeves that are described is a weave called "fisher- really a continuation of the bloused hand. Luther said: "My soul is too glad to be at heart the enemy of any

portion of this casaque blouse is

slashed into narrow panels of a leaf

Uneven settlement due to insuf- Monkey Fur Still Is Used

ous Garments; Also Edges vet, falling to the knees. The skirt Short Sleeves.

Monkey fur, while no longer a nov- design. These panels are edged with High office always and everywhere is elty, still is used. A frock made en- a band of seed pearls, which unite a shadow of the majesty of God. The monkey fur, the bodice and apron each panel in two long ends. The drapery are cut in one piece, the velvet is used to make a narrow tie honoring all who have upon them this latter trimmed with little tufts of belt. monkey fur. The fur also edges the ECONOMY IN BUILDING SILO LESS BUTTER MADE IN IOWA short sleeves. The foundation skirt is very narrow.

Making a Shantung Gown. Looking toward spring sewing and A remarkable way of applying gray summer gowns, shantung is a safe masquirrel to a coat dress of gray velours terial to select ahead of time, as its is seen in three circular flounces of popularity is generally pretty well asthe fur. Black furs are effective on the popular gray dress or suit. A as well as printed so that delightful the popular gray dress or suit. A combinations may be had. One offer the popular gray dress or suit. A combinations may be had. One offer the popular gray dress or suit. A combinations may be had. One offer the popular gray dress or suit. A combinations may be had. One offer the popular gray dress or suit. the popular gray diess of said. Some said combinations may be had. One effect of married couples and Friend Wife dolls and pieces of clothing.

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LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 13

LESSONS ON CITIZENSHIP. (May Be Used With Temperance Applications).

LESSON TEXT-Matt. 22:15-22. GOLDEN TEXT-Thou shalt love the ord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt 1-39; Mark 12:13-17, 28-37; Luke 20:20-26, 41-44; Rom. 13:1-14; Phil. 3:17-21.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Our Country.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC No. 1 clover, \$25@26; No. 2 clover, \$19 -Christian Standard of Citizenship. I. The Tribute Money (vv. 15-22). The Pharisees and Herodians purceeded in creating. And there is little for it holds great possibilities for the posed to entrap Jesus and bring Him o choose between those from abroad dressmaker who wishes to combine it into conflict with the Roman govern-

brought Him into conflict with the govrnment. It is not an easy matter for a Christian always to determine his right relation to civil government. Many a minister has made a failure of his work because he tried to solve Virginia, firsts, 58; Southern (North the problem. Christ's reply to this Carolina), firsts, 57. question, properly understood and applied, is the final word on the sub. large, pound, 34@35c; do, under 2 ject. Until the civil authorities de pounds, pound, 37@38; do, rough, stagmand of us that which is a violation gy, poor, pound, 30@32; do, old roostof God's law, we are bound to render ers, pound, 20; do, old hens, over 4 unto them obedience. "Render unto pounds, pound, 34@35; do, small, Caesar the things that are Caesar's" pound, 30@32; do, white leghorn hens, means the highest obligation. Since pound, 32@33; ducks, muscovy and enjoying His protection and care it is mongrel, young, 31@32; do, white, our duty to owe all allegiance to Him, Pekins, young, pound, 35@36; do, pudto yield our lives to Him in service, dle, 4 pounds and over, pound, 34@35; worship and praise. Every one who do, smaller, poor, pound, 28@30; tur enjoys the benefits of civil government keys, choice, hens, pound, 52@53; do,

may be either too much or too little.

hood of God is utter nonsense. Men

are God's children, but in the New

Testament sense men are only God's

children as they are in Christ. Beware

for the brotherhood of man and is at

brotherhood of man is to preach Jesus

Christ unto the race and secure their

acceptance of Him. We thus become

obligations resting upon man are em-

braced in these two commandments.

Those who conform their lives to them

are God's children and are the very

Hand in Hand.

Excuse to Get Out at Night.

one's hostility could spoil.

Gladness and good will go hand in

brothers in the real sense of the term,

ceives God's favor is placed under a like obligation unto Him. II. The Great Commandment in the 1.75; do, Eastern Shore, McCormicks For the third time in one day the dried, barrel, \$3@3.50; do, yellows, Lord is tried by hard questions. While Rappahannocks, \$3@3.50; do, Eastern these questioners were actuated by Shore, Md., and Delaware, \$3.50@4; wrong motives, we may be forever glad do, native, hamper, \$1@1.50; yams, that they put these questions to Him fancy, bright, barrel, \$3.50@4. because of the invaluable truth which

His answers set forth. 1. The first commandment (vv.34-38). "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, with all thy c. i. f., to arrive. soul, and with all thy mind." This means that supreme and undivided 83c, and No. 2 mixed, 82½, c. i. f New love to God is the first and great com-York, 10-day shipment. mandment. This at once shows that man's supreme obligation is to God.

will make up into frocks destined for right thing with God. The greatest make, No. 2, 23½@24. Eggs-Fresh gathered, extra firsts. immorality of which a man can be or for tailored street costumes are Serges for spring wear are as good guilty is his failure to respond to the 58c; fresh gathered, firsts, 56@57; demands of God. The one who does State, Pennsylvania and nearby Westthe fowls have been obtaining in the that should be received locally. A maximum price there will be a great vogue during the many are the new weaves in this facoming months for daytime dressing vorite of all materials. Though many fection love God is the greatest sin- 57@61; do, browns, extras, 60; do neids; and beer scrap, skim milk, cut as each case must be decided by study. coming months for daytime dressing vorte of an inaterials. Though many ner. The one outstanding condemning gathered browns and mixed colors, in this material. There are the heavy of the best suits are shown in the

> PHILADELPHIA.-Wheat- lower Corn-No. 3 yellow, new, 78@790 Oats-No. 2 white, 52@521/2c; do

gracefully to the pleatings of various greater possibilities of wear. There end. The command to love our neight No. 3, 501/2@51; do, No. 4, 481/2@491/2 by because of the question of its wear- God. To pretend to love God is folly 60; Western creamery, extra, 481/2. Cheese-New York whole milk printed with borders that are most in- changing, for the better duvetyns— one does really love his neighbor who fancy flat, held, 28@29c; common to fresh, 29@291/2; single daisies, held become children of God by faith in 27@28; do, fresh, 26@27. Live Poultry-Fowls, not leghorns ing chickens, fancy, 40@45; young roosters, 27@36; old do, 20@25; tur

LIVE STOCK

geese, 28@32.

and choice fat pigs, \$9.75@10.

man." This gladness and good-will was the constant quality of the Master's life. There was about Him an undiscourageable friendliness which no and cutters, mostly, \$3@4.25; best @5.25; calves unevenly lower; bulk. High office among men, when legitimately attained, deserves reverence.

PITTSBURGH - Hogs - Heavier \$9.75@10; heavy Yorkers, light do, and ent includes in its spirit the duty of pigs, \$10.25@11. Sheep and Lambs-Top sheep, \$6; zertificate of greatness .- H. P. Liddon top lambs, \$10.

Omnivorous Codfish That the codfish is omnivorous

if sharp, it may be immediate.

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade an Market Reports.

BALTIMORE.-Wheat-No. 2 red winter, spot, \$1,81; No. 2 red, garlicky, spot, \$1.70; February, \$1.70; March, \$1.721/4; May, \$1.761/4. Cob Corn is quotable at \$3.90@4 per barrel, for carloads prime nearby yellow on spot.

Corn-Contract, spot, 74%c; Febru ary delivery, 74%; March, 74%. Oats-No. 2 white, 471/2c; No. white, 46. Rye-No. 2 Western, export, spot, \$1.64; bag lots nearby rye, as to qual

ity, \$1.60 bushel. Hay-Standard timothy, \$26@26.50; No. 2 timothy, \$25@25.50; No. 3 timothy, \$20@23; No. 1 light clover mixed, PRIMARY TOPIC-The Land We Love. \$24@24.50; No. 2 light clover mixed, \$22@22.50; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$23@ 23.50; No. 2 clover, mixed, \$19@22;

> @22; sample hay, \$15@20. Straw-No. 1 tangled rye, \$17; No. 2 tangled rye, \$16; No. 1 wheat, \$14@ | to git yer up a snack to eat?" 14.50; No. 2 wheat, \$13@13.50; No. 1

Butter-Creamery, Western separatribute to Caesar or not?" At this tor, extras, 52@53c; do, firsts, 51@52; to the government. To have answered creamery, extras, 48@50; do, firsts, 46 it has held its own through all the this question by "yes" or "no" would @47; dairy prints, Maryland, Pennsyl-The silks, perhaps, are the most fas- winter, and it certainly will be very have involved difficulties. To have an vania and Virginia, extras, 28@30; do, swered "yes" would have conveyed the | 3rsts, 25@26; storepacked, firsts, 20; mpression of endorsement of all that rolls, West Virginia, extras, 20@21; the Roman government did. To have do, Maryland and Pennsylvania, ex-

Eggs-Western Maryland, Pennsyl- lifty cents by the time you've earned vania and nearby, firsts, 58c; Eastern one dollar?" Shore, Maryland and Virginia, firsts, 58; Western (Ohio), firsts, 58; West Live Poultry - Chickens, young,

is obliged to pay the taxes which young gobblers, pound, 50; do, thin, are necessary for the support of that crooked breast, pound, 35@40; do, old government, and every one who re toms, pound, 45. Potatoes-White, Maryland, Pennsyl-

vania and nearby, 100 pounds, \$1.50@ \$1@1.25; sweets, yellow, No. 1, kiln

NEW YORK .- Wheat -- Spot easy; No. 2 hard, \$1.821/2, c. i. f., track New widow." York, and No. 2 mixed durum, \$1.741/2, Corn-Spot steady; No. 2 yellow

Oats-Spot easy; No. 1 white, 531/2 Butter-Creamery, higher than ex man. Real righteousness is doing the score), 42@48; packing stock, current

crepes and the tricotines. This year lighter materials—light both as to sin is unbelief in God and refusal to firsts to extras, 57@59; refrigerator, 48

scrap or feed of this nature is essenscrap or feed of t tial in obtaining a good supply of eggs products that need no special type. Sive air by reason of this newer treat. The dye and weave of this fabric are 39-40). The second commandment is specials, 26@29c; do, average run, 24@ ment. There are the sport weaves, being perfected so that a good serge like unto the first in that it centers 251/2; State whole milk flats, fresh, Clean the dropping boards at least often can be made by the producer at among which "Tally-ho" is one that is nowadays lasts much better than for in love. It is not said that it is equal specials, 23½@25; do, average run, Live Poultry-Chickens, 30@32c

cents a pound.

\$

when we have God as our Father. All KANSAS CITY, MO.—Cattle—Bulk she stock, \$4.50@5.50; good heavy stags, \$5.50; calves steady, with pack | I don't settle up my tax arrears.' ers' level of Tuesday; odd vealers, \$13 @11.50: practically top. \$10.50. Hogs-Bulk, \$9@9.50; top, \$9.60 packing sows and pigs steady; good

> CHICAGO. - Cattle - Bulk butcher cows and heifers, \$4.60@6; canners heavy bologna bulls, \$5.50; bulk, \$4.75 good and choice vealers, \$10.25@11.50; fat, heavy calves, largely, \$5@8; stock-

"My American Legion post meets tonight" is eliminated as an excuse shown by the fact that, in addition to the crustaceans, small fish and sea guessed it.



POOR BUT CULTURED.

Buckingham, Campbell and Amherst. "Madame," said the tattered visitor, "could I persuade you to give me a light morning refection? I have not yet-ahem-had breakfast." "Lor!" said the slatternly woman at the door. "Yer mean yer want me "Yes, madam, if you please. And oats (nominal), \$18@18.50; No. 2 oats, if you have no objection I will sit here on the steps and peruse the meditatious of Marcus Aurelius while you are preparing-ahem-we will say hot biscuits, fried chicken and a matutinal cup of coffee."

A Problem in Finance. "This thrift expert gives some good

"He says every time we earn a dollar, we should save half of it." "Umph! What are you going to do Complete House Bills Our Specialty if you've already spent one dollar and Don't fail to write or see us before



THE IDEA She: Come on, we'll be late for the movies now. He: I don't see why yuh wanna drag me out t' them things fer, I can sleep jes as well here at home.

Like Thirty Cents. A dollar was a dollar once But now, with food and rents Performing lofty, flying stunts, It looks like thirty cents.

Appropriate Color. "You said that pretty little woman was a recent widow. Why, she is wearing a green suit." "I forgot to say she was a grass

An Indication of Guilt. "I think he must be guilty." "He insists on having the best lawver in town to defend him. If he were

innocent any lawyer would do." Other Way Preferred. Boreleigh (at 11:30 p. m.)-When I was a boy I used to ring doorbells and

Miss Bright-And now you ring them and stay .- Boston Transcript. "I heard the exasperated dancing master say he was going to make his class toe the mark."



NOT IN THE SAME CLASS Mugger, the Lead, "at Liberty," You seem to consider me a mere Booker, the Agent: More like sparerib. Hams are worth seventy

Silence Would Be Golden. Some people deem it policy To think before they speak, They'd be silent for a week.

Miss Burden-I overheard that dear young man telling you I danced like 42; ducks, white Pekin, 43@45; mixed a zephyr. colors, 40@42; do, muscovy, 28@30; Miss Bright - Zephyr? He said

> No Mistake. "I got a tip on a sure thing yester-"Better not trust those sure tips." "Oh, this one is all right. It's a tip as to what is going to happen if

"Revenge is sweet." "I know that, but nobody ever made much success of himself who wasted Sheep-Bulk best lambs on sale at a lot of time trying to get even with somebody else."

> Where Imitation Would Help. "What made you delay traffic a that crossing?" "I couldn't help stopping to admire the policeman who was waving his arms," replied Mr. Chuggins. "If he could be set to music, he mould make a wonderful classic dancer."

Edith-Dear, Jack is so forgetful. Maud-Isn't he! At the party last night I had to keep reminding him that it's you he's engaged to and not me .-New York Central Magazine.

The Little Dears.

Newrich (showing treasures)-This picture is by an old master. Critic-Indeed! I would never have

Newrich-It is, though. The man

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"It is obvious that the board cannot ssume, without evidence of the justness and reasonableness of the agreements, rules and working condition in Borah Resolution For Sus effect on each railroad as of December 11, 1917, that such agreements, rules and working conditions would constitute just and reasonable rules and working conditions today on the rail- STANDS BY CAPITAL S roads parties to the present dispute," the board announced.

"To make such a decision without | Cannot Reduce Armaments-We evidence and careful consideration would be an abdication of the functions of this board and would frustrate the purposes of the Transportation act. "The board must also deny the re-Washington.-An American quest that the prevailing rate of wages "at least equal to that of any n unskilled labor be applied to rail- power" is advocated in a report

Employes Charge Conspiracy. capital autocratic contral of the work aircraft carriers be built in pl

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Wage Board Declines to Abrogate Working Agreements

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pokesman-Rallroads Seek To Establish Autocratic Control,

tives for immediate abrogation of all working agreements and also refused to authorize a cut in wages in railroad

road laborers." The boards' decision was announced The committee, replying to t after M. M. Jewell, president of the rah resolution, said: "It is no Railway Employes' Department of the tical and is not a sound policy American Federation of Labor, made a pend naval construction for a statement in which he charged the rail- of six months nor at all." road owners had conspired to wreck completion of the great 1916 union labor in an effort to restore to program, except that two huge

further consideration of the appeal of yet contracted for. Gen. W. W. Atterbury, representing | Capital ships remain the pr the roads, for immediate abrogation of units of sea power, the com national agreements and to proceed to said, adding that submarines a hear the evidence the unions will pres- craft were as yet only auxiliary

ent to back up the charge of con- The committee report, to which Jewell charged that Atterbury's ap file a minority report tomorro peal for abrogation of rules and a re- pressed a desire that an agre quest for permission to cut wages of for limitation of naval arm railroad laborers were timed with a might be reached among the view of stampeding the board into tak- but said that until some such a ing a position on the matter. ment were made the United The appeal, according to Jewell, should continue its building p which was made just when the entire "In view of the importance

sented to the board, was designed also mittee informed the Senate, "

Obtain from the board a recognition ford to depend for the mainten of the railroad management's conten- our rights and the defense of t tion that Government war policies had and commerce of our citizens u led to a decrease in the efficiency of mercy, generosity or good will employes in order to use this later to powers with rival or conflicting wring from the railroad administration ests and ambitions." full payment of the exorbitant claims "It is the opinion of this which the railroads are making. tee," the report continued, "t Sound a note of warning to railroad United States should have un employes, carrying with it a threat control a sufficient force to that unless they came meekly begging and preserve both its mater for local adjustment of conditions, im- sessions, the policies it has

SALES NETTED 56 PER CENT.

1,175,000,000 Realized By Government, gram of the Navy, which, as Committee Told. Washington.-Sales of War Department surplus of "everything from needles to the old hickory plant" near

MAY FAVOR AMERICANS. fansa League Threatens To Boycott French And British. Berlin.—The Hansa League, the largest association in Germany rep-resenting economic interests, trade and ladustry appears in undisputed control industry, announces that a number of guns, in undisputed control its members are urging boycott of the French and English in favor of goods from America and neutrals. If Great are proceeding with external are proceeding with the proceedin Britain continues to support France in this direction.

into the suggestion and adopt the measures it thinks advisable. LOUISIANA LYNCHERS ESCAPE. Grand Jury Can't Get Evidence To Indict Anyone.

Werner, a negro, reported to the District Court that it had been unable to months shall not be sold. Fr obtain sufficient evidence to warrant could be held 18 months if DROPS BOUCHER FROM NAVY.

deutenant Commander Creed H.

U. S. RAT POPULATIO Washington.-It keeps 200, men working full time to supp the nation's rat population. assertion is made by the Bic ical Survey Bureau in figures sued showing that there are many "common brown rats as mans" in the United States each of the 100,000,000 or more stroys \$2 worth of foodstuff

They also maintain an effici transportation system for "bi death" and other plague ger the bureau adds, in urgin starve and slay campaign to ch "a real hazard against Ameri lives and property."

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Not Place America's Citiz And Commerce At Mercy Of Other Nations.

Senate Naval Committee filed Senate.

12 destroyers and six subr which have been authorized, ator King, Democrat, Utah, pl

case of the management had been pre- power to the United States," fact that without it we would indisputable truth that we can

with pressure for a reduction in all zens and the principles upon its government is founded. "For these reasons we ar pension of the present build

ent laid out, is, at the most,

signed to place us on a foo

equality with any other power Nashville, Tenn., have yielded a return of 56 per cent. of cost, E. C. endorsement of the Navy orse, former sales director, told the Board's summary of the situa House investigating committee. He ing to the conclusion that the placed the value of the property sold ship remains the strongest n at \$1,175,000,000, not including ma. It recommended, however, terial valued at \$150,000,000 trans. study and development of t ferred to other departments, and add- rine, aircraft and high explo ed that remaining surplus stocks prob. A naval power armed v bly aggregated another \$1,000,000,000 devices but lacking in battle battle cruisers, opposed to a r er with all auxiliaries and a ships, would be at the merc enemy, the report said. "The rival forces of light

this direction, the league will examine grams of battleship construction the

AGREEMENT ON COLD S Measure Makes 12 Months Washington.-An agreem demine, La.—The grand jury storage has been reached called in special session at the in-Stance of Governor Parker to investi- approved provides that foot gate the recent lynching of George except fruits, vegetables werner

> by the Department of Agricu JAPS FOR BIG NAVY

House Of Representative Against Curtailment Tokio .-- The House of I

Washington.—President Wilson approved the dismissal from the Navy of

of San Francisco, formerly a resolution offered by Yul to the Naval Governor of former leader of the Kenselposition party, proposing a cu was charged with a variety of naval armaments. The ses, among which were intoxikumin-To (Nationalist) ation on duty, conduct unbecoming an some independents favored to some independent favored to some indep heer, disrespect to his superior offi-tion, but the government tion, but the government of the Kensei-Kai party of and the Kensei-Kai party oppo